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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

8 KARLENA DAWSON, et al.,

9 Petitioner-Plaintiffs,

10 v.

11 NATHALIE ASHER, et al.,

12 Respondent-Defendants.
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Case No. C20-0409-JLR-MAT

ORDER FOR RETURN AND STATUS
REPORT

14 On April 8, 2020, the Honorable James L. Robart denied petitioners' second motion for a
15 temporary restraining order. (Dkt. 91.) Having reviewed the balance of the record, the Court sets
16 the following briefing schedule on the merits of petitioners' 28 U.S.C. § 2241 habeas petition and
17 complaint for injunctive relief:

18 (1) **Within 21 days of the date this Order is posted**, respondents shall show cause
19 why a writ of habeas corpus should not be granted by filing a return as provided in 28 U.S.C. §
20 2243. As a part of such return, respondents shall submit a memorandum of authorities in support
21 of their position, and should state whether an evidentiary hearing is necessary.

22 (2) The return will be treated in accordance with LCR 7. Accordingly, on the face of
23 the return, respondents shall note it for consideration on the fourth Friday after it is filed.

1 Petitioners may file and serve a response not later than the Monday immediately preceding the
2 Friday appointed for consideration of the matter, and respondents may file and serve a reply brief
3 not later than the noting date.

4 (3) If the custody status of any petitioner changes at any point during this litigation,
5 **respondents shall file a status update with the Court as soon as possible and no later than**
6 **seven days after the change.**

7 (4) The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to the parties and to the Honorable
8 James L. Robart.

9 Dated this 9th day of April, 2020.

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12 Mary Alice Theiler
13 United States Magistrate Judge
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